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	First Named Inventor	David P. Anderson et al	
	Art Unit	2154	
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Design Filing Fee	350	175	
Plant Filing Fee	550	275	
Reissue Filing Fee	790	395	
Provisional Filing Fee	160	80	

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20	50	25
Each independent claim over 3	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
For Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
For Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100

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1-month extension of time	120	60	
2-month extension of time	450	225	
3-month extension of time	1,020	510	510.00
4-month extension of time	1,590	795	
5-month extension of time	2,160	1,080	
Information disclosure semi. fee	180	180	
37 CFR 1.17(a) processing fee	50	50	
Non-English specification	130	130	
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